

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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DARYL COOK

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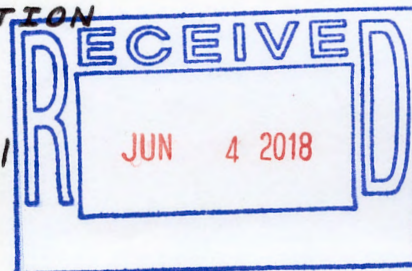
: CIVIL ACTION

v.

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CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, et al : NO. 17- 331

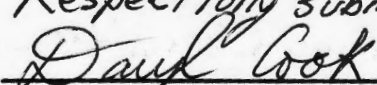


PLAINTIFF'S DOCUMENT IN SUPPORT OF SUPPLEMENTAL
MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL AND DECLARATION

In support of Plaintiff's request for judgment in his favor or appointment of counsel to conduct discovery and all further proceedings, in his "supplemental motion for appointment of counsel and declaration," Plaintiff hereby submits the attached document (i.e. copy of "Answer and New Matter of Defendants Detective Dean and Lt. Rodden") as proof that he was not served with a copy of same as indicated by the "Certificate of Service" attached thereto and as proof that Defendant Shoffel did not serve Plaintiff with a copy of same and a copy of her petition to open the default judgments

and she did not attach a copy of same to her petition to open or to her motion for summary judgment along with her petition to open, because her petition to open and her answer to the complaint filed in the state court does not state a meritorious defense, thus, she knew that the state court action judge would open the default judgments due to Plaintiff not filing an answer to the petition to open. See Supplemental Motion for Appointment of Counsel and Declaration; Answer and New Matter of Defendants Detective Dean and Lt. Rodden (failing to show a meritorious defense and that Plaintiff was served¹); Petition to Open attached as Exhibit B to Defendant Shottel's Motion for Summary Judgment (failing to show a meritorious defense). See also Fleet National Bank v. Taylor, 2005 Phila. Ct. Com. Pl. LEXIS 3; Complaint at 8-22, 26-27, 29 and 33.

Date: May 27, 2018

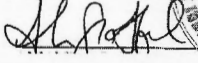
Respectfully submitted,

 DARREL COOK
 Pro se Plaintiff

1. It is significant to note that the Defendants' names are Detective Rodden and Lieutenant Dean and the Certificate of Service indicate that "counsel for Plaintiff" was served "via electronic mail," not Plaintiff, who was pro se.

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NOTICE TO PLEAD

You are hereby notified to file a written response to the within New Matter within twenty (20) days from service hereof or a judgment may be entered against you.


Amanda C. Shoffel
Deputy City Solicitor

DARYL COOK

Plaintiff

v.

THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, et al.
Defendants

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

April Term 2012

No. 120404474

**ANSWER AND NEW MATTER OF DEFENDANTS DETECTIVE DEAN AND
LT. RODDEN**

Defendants, Detective Dean and Lt. Rodden, by and through the undersigned counsel, Amanda Shoffel Deputy City Solicitor, hereby file this Answer and New Matter to the Plaintiff's Complaint, and aver as follows:

1. The allegations in this paragraph are conclusions of law to which no response is required. To the extent and response is required, denied.
2. The allegations in this paragraph are conclusions of law to which no response is required. To the extent and response is required, denied.
3. The allegations in this paragraph are conclusions of law to which no response is required. To the extent and response is required, denied.

PARTIES

4. Admitted, under information and belief.

5. Denied. By way of further response, The City of Philadelphia has been dismissed from the instant action and is no longer a party.
6. The allegations in this paragraph are directed to persons other than the Answering Defendants, therefore- no response is required.
7. Admitted only that Lt. Dean is employed by the Philadelphia Prison System. All remaining allegations are denied.
8. The allegations in this paragraph are directed to persons other than the Answering Defendants, therefore- no response is required.
9. Admitted only that Det. Rodden is employed by the Philadelphia Police Department. All remaining allegations are denied.
10. The allegations in this paragraph are directed to persons other than the Answering Defendants, therefore- no response is required.
11. The allegations in this paragraph are directed to persons other than the Answering Defendants, therefore- no response is required.
12. The allegations in this paragraph are directed to persons other than the Answering Defendants, therefore- no response is required.

FACTS

13. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
14. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
15. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
16. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
17. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
18. Denied. Strict proof demanded.

- 19. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
- 20. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
- 21. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
- 22. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
- 23. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
- 24. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
- 25. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
- 26. Denied. Strict proof demanded.
- 27. Denied. Strict proof demanded.

RELIEF

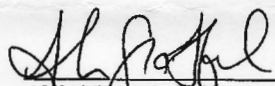
- 28. Denied. The allegations in this paragraph constitute conclusions of law to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, the allegations in this paragraph are denied.
- 29. Denied. The allegations in this paragraph constitute conclusions of law to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, the allegations in this paragraph are denied.
- 30. Denied. The allegations in this paragraph constitute conclusions of law to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, the allegations in this paragraph are denied.
- 31. Denied. The allegations in this paragraph constitute conclusions of law to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, the allegations in this paragraph are denied.

JURY TRIAL DEMAND

32. Defendant demands a trial by jury on all counts of Plaintiff's Complaint.

WHEREFORE, answering Defendants deny they are liable upon all of the causes of action declared upon, and demands judgment in their favor plus interests and costs.

Respectfully Submitted,




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Date: January 27, 2014

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NEW MATTER

Defendants, by and through this undersigned counsel, Amanda C. Shoffel, plead the following New Matter:

1. Plaintiff's alleged injuries, sufferings, and/or damages, if any, were caused by his own willful and/or malicious misconduct.
2. It is further averred that if Plaintiff sustained injuries and damages as alleged, they were due solely and or primarily to his assumption of the risk of said injuries and damages.
3. Answering Defendants assert all of the defenses, immunities, and limitations of damages available to them under the "Political Subdivision Tort Claims

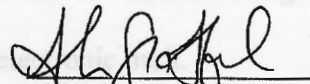
Act,” and aver that the Plaintiff’s remedies are limited exclusively thereto.

Act of Oct. 5, 1980, No. 142, P.L. 693, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8541 et seq.

4. Any force used against plaintiff was reasonable and necessary under the circumstances.
5. Law enforcement privilege sanctioned any physical contact the Defendants had with Plaintiff.
6. Defendant’s actions were sanctioned by 18 Pa. Cons. Stat. § 508, which expressly authorizes the use of force by law enforcement to prevent another person from committing or consummating the commission of a crime involving or threatening bodily injury.

WHEREFORE, Answering Defendants deny they are liable upon all causes of action declared upon and demand judgment in their favor, plus interest and costs.

Respectfully Submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Daryl Cook, do hereby certify that I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing document to be served on this 28th day of May, 2018, by first class mail, to:

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